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Attorney General John Ashcroft
US Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20530

Dear Attorney General Ashcroft:

I am writing to express my opinion and to thank you for settling the Microsoft suit. It is a step in the right direction. I believe that the settlement is more than adequate. It forces Microsoft to share proprietary information that will allow other companies the more easily implant their software on the Windows operating system. The settlement will also create a technical oversight committee that will ensure Microsoft behaves properly for the duration of the settlement. The government should take no further action on this matter.

This suit has had a very negative impact on the marketplace and me personally. We are in midst of a recession - in my case a depression. Now is the time to rebuild our economy by supporting American businesses. We should reward those who contribute to our economy. After all, our nation was built on principles of free enterprise, and since I have been out of work since July. I want to get back to being a contributing member of society.

Thank you for resolving this issue. I appreciate the opportunity to speak on this matter.

Sincerely,
George A. Porzuc